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Expanded Days, Hours in Effect at Prairie City SVRA

New days and hours of operation are now in effect at Prairie City State Vehicular Recreation Area, one of six major off-highway recreation areas operated by California State Parks and its Off-Highway Motor Vehicle Recreation Division.

The SVRA is open Thursday through Tuesday in April from 8 a.m. until 7 p.m. From May through August, Prairie City is open the same days of the week, but remains open an hour later, closing at 8 p.m.

Prairie City SVRA is located off Highway 50, about 20 miles east of downtown Sacramento.

Prairie City will host some special events over the next several months. They include the Western Four-Stroke National Motocross Race on April 18-20; the 35th Annual Hangtown Motocross Classic, one of the premier events of its kind in the U.S., on May 16-18; and the Police/Fire Games Harescramble and Motocross on June 16-17.

Because of its location 20 miles east of downtown Sacramento and its proximity to a burgeoning suburban area, the 836-acre Prairie City SVRA is destined to become the model for future urban OHV parks. Other SVRAs operated by State Parks include Carnegie, Hollister Hills, Hungry Valley, Ocotillo Wells, and Oceano Dunes.

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